



Site Information

Site Location: Behind property at 600 50th Avenue
Upstream ends – Convergence of Elmhurst Slough at Alameda County Line H and at the Bridge crossing where Alameda County Line G meets East Creek Slough;
Downstream end – Convergence of East Creek Slough and East Creek Channel at California Highway 880

Watershed: Seminary Creek and
54th Avenue Creek Watershed

Waterbody: East Creek Slough

Jurisdiction: City of Oakland

Ownership: Alameda County Flood Control
DODG Corporation

Trash Pathways/Sources: Trash sources include the Oakland Swap Meet, heavy traffic corridors (California Highway 880), homeless encampments, and flows from commercial and industrial areas located upstream in the watershed.

Site Identified by: City of Oakland

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Justification

Information Supporting Selection as a Hot Spot:

Past inspections have indicated large volumes of small trash items. Past enforcement conducted of properties in an attempt to reduce trash loads in the waterway. Recurring public complaint calls regarding high trash volumes in the waterway.

East Creek Slough is located in the lowest portion of the Seminary Creek Watershed prior to the discharge into the San Leandro Bay Estuary. Past assessments of the properties have indicated that large volumes of small trash items exist in East Creek Slough. Sources include the Oakland Swap Meet, Oakland Swap Meet Parking Areas, California Highway 880, and flows from upstream areas.

Planned Cleanup Efforts:

Property Owner Routine Cleanups (as needed and after events), Alameda County Flood Control performs scheduled cleanup and maintenance of their property.

Assessments: To be conducted during Summer 2010